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COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

China, Egypt, India, Japan, Kenya, Nigeria, Pakistan, Qatar and Sri Lanka: draft resolution

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 36/38 of 18 November 1981, 37/8 of 29 October 1982, 38/37 of 5 December 1983, 39/47 of 10 December 1984, 40/60 of 9 December 1985, 41/5 of 17 October 1986, 43/1 of 17 October 1988, 45/4 of 16 October 1990 and 47/6 of 21 October 1992,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee, 1/

Having heard the statement made by the Secretary-General of the Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee on the steps taken by the Consultative Committee to ensure continuing, close and effective cooperation between the two organizations,

1. Takes note with appreciation of the report of the Secretary-General;

2. Notes with satisfaction the continuing efforts of the Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee towards strengthening the role of the United Nations and its various organs, including the International Court of Justice, through programmes and initiatives undertaken by the Consultative Committee;

3. Notes with satisfaction the commendable progress achieved towards enhancing cooperation between the United Nations and the Consultative Committee in wider areas;

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4. Notes with appreciation the decision of the Consultative Committee to participate actively in the programmes of the United Nations Decade of International Law and of environment and sustainable development;

5. Requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session a report on cooperation between the United Nations and the Consultative Committee;

6. Decides to include in the provisional agenda of its fifty-first session the item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee".